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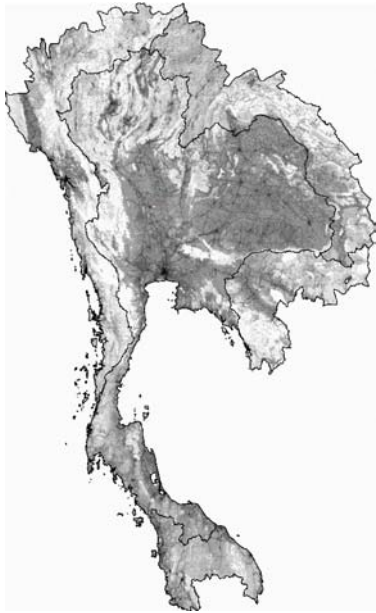
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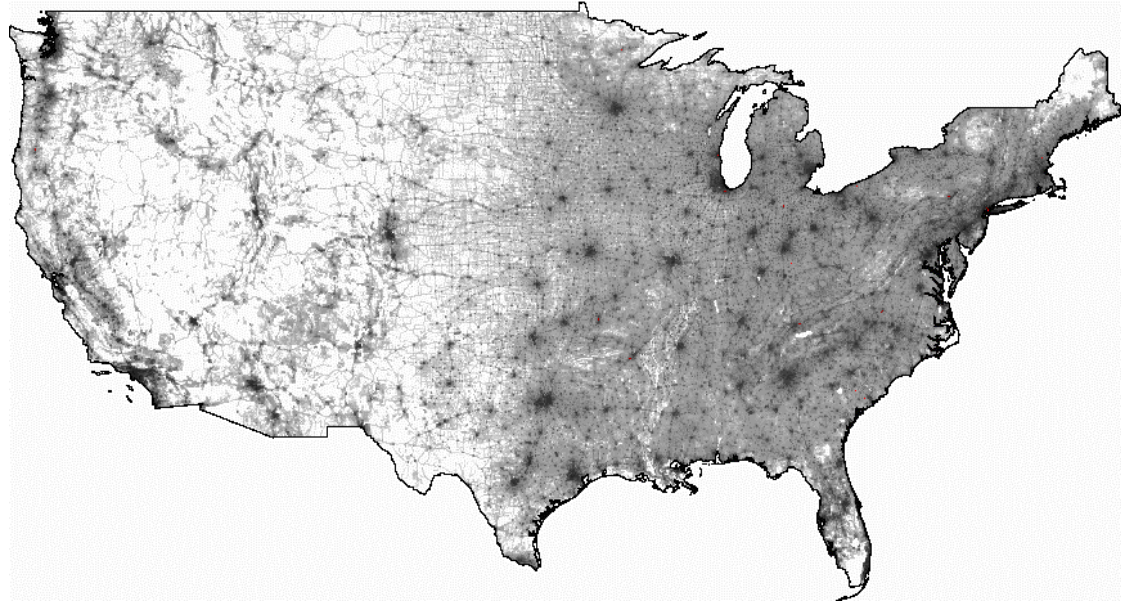




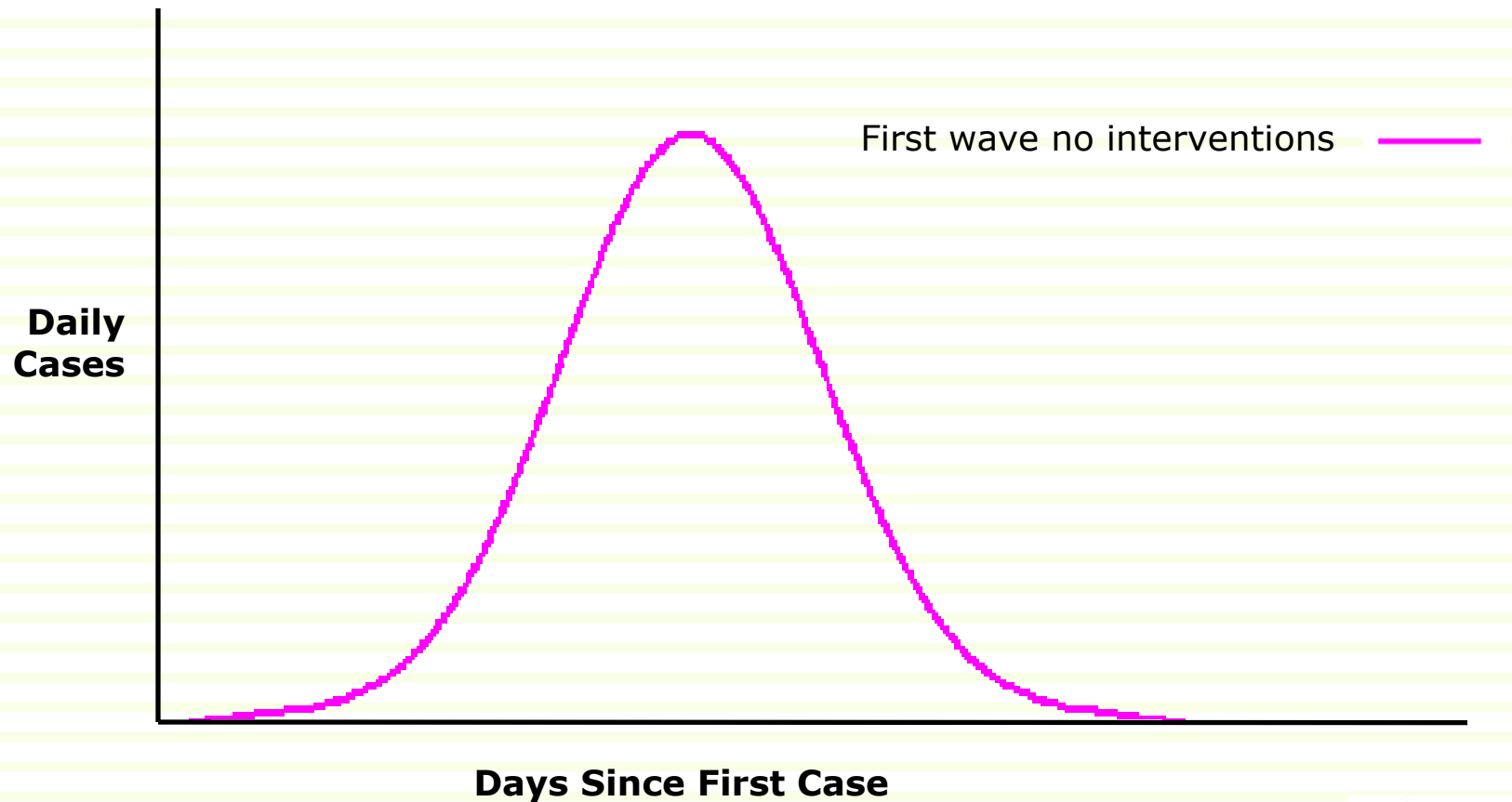
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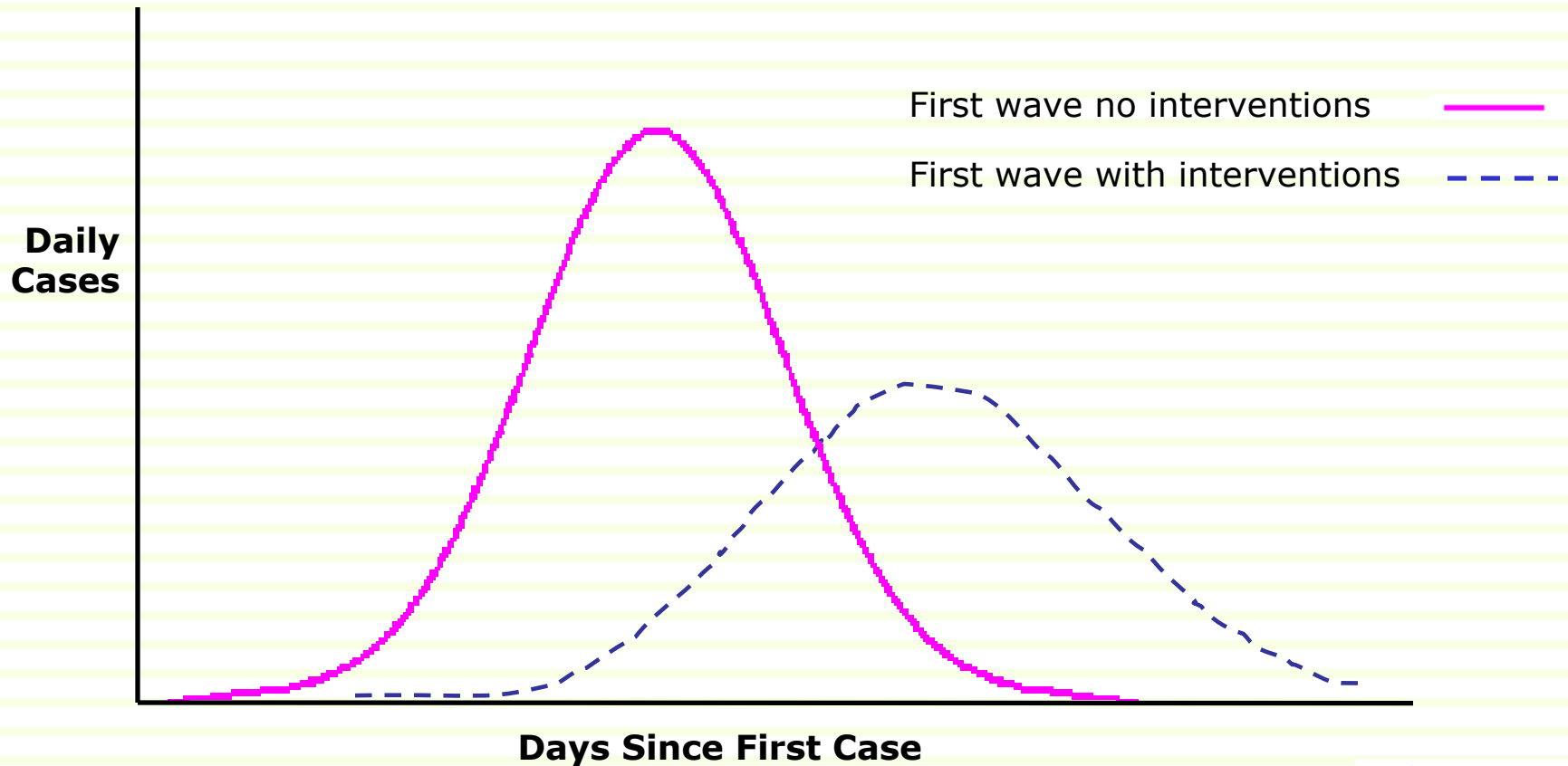
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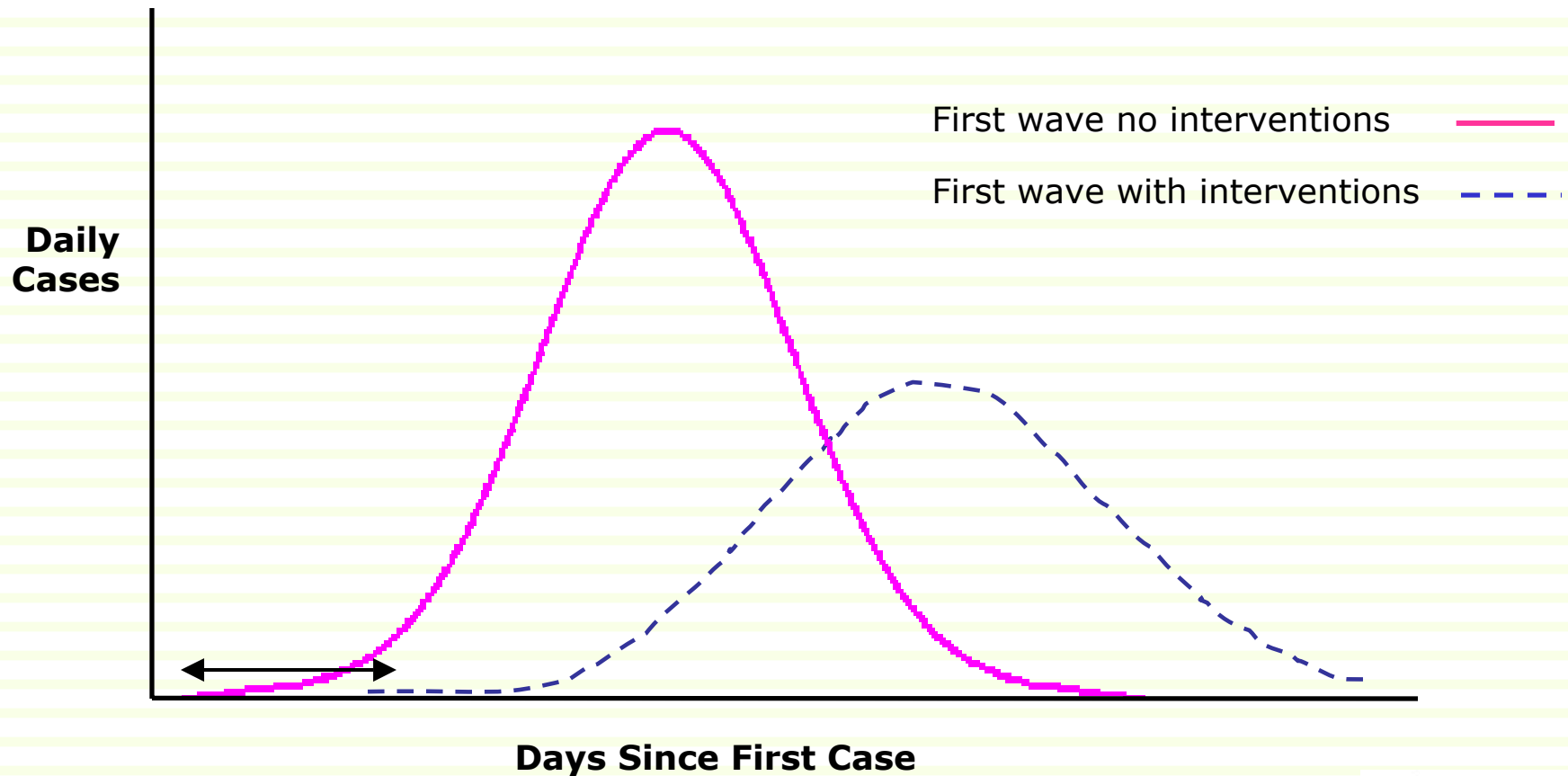
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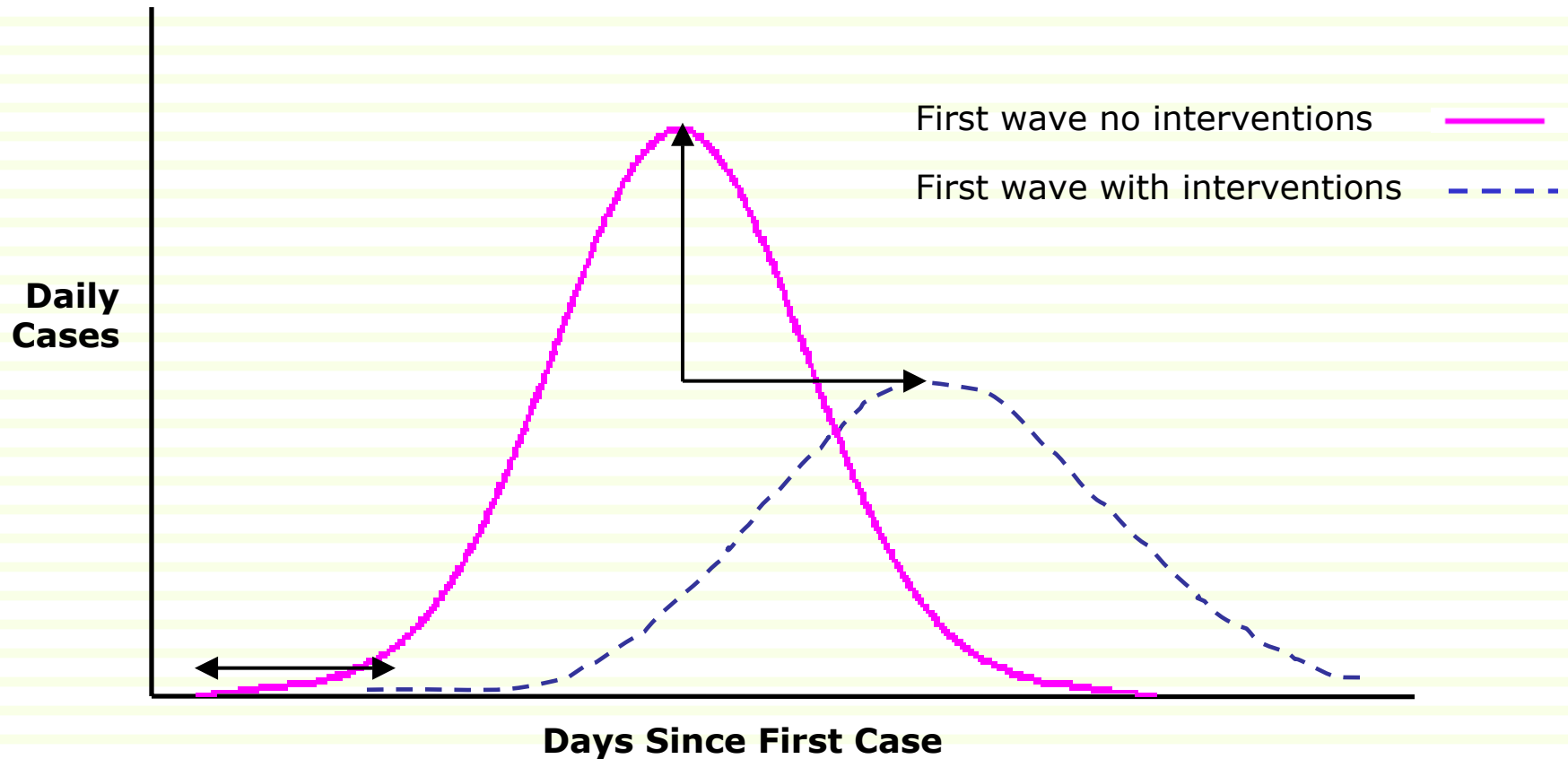
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Delaying Initial Spread



Reducing the Peak of Cases



Pandemic Readiness

Bottom line is that pandemic preparedness and response activities have the potential effect of:

- Delaying the initial spread of illness
- Delaying the peak of cases
- Reducing the total number of people ill at any one time making care easier and more effective
- Reducing the total number of cases
- Provides more time for the nation to implement response interventions
- Supplements surge capacity by decompressing the health care system burden



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